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## MANCHURIA IS ALL OPEN

Travellers No Longer Need Passports.

## RUSSIA'S OFFICIAL NOTICE

England Approves the Attitude of the United States On Eastern Situation.

London, May 13.—It is authoritatively reported from Peking that the Russian charge d'affaires, M. Plancon, has given assurances regarding Manchuria. He has issued an official notice that all Manchuria is open to foreign travel and adds that passports are no longer necessary.

There were 500 Russian soldiers at Newchwang, who were removed about the date fixed for the evacuation, and the same number returned to Newchwang. It appears that the Russian force which returned to the Liao forts merely used the forts as temporary resting places while journeying southward to their station on the peninsula.

The United States consul at Newchwang has arrived in Peking to confer with Minister Conger.

Lord Cranborne, the undersecretary for foreign affairs, by his statement in the house of commons deprived the anti-Russian jingoism of the last excuse they had for continuing their efforts to stir up feeling in this country and in the United States over Manchuria. It must be admitted that they were more successful in inflicting the press of the United States than that of England. Even the most passionate denunciation of Russia's alleged duplicity, selected with great care from certain New York papers and cabled here, failed in its object.

**United States' Attitude Approved.**

Before Lord Cranborne made his statement the Westminster Gazette, reviewing the situation, said: "The statement that the Washington state department will defer taking any action with regard to Russia's course in Manchuria until it is sure of the facts in the case, is eminently a prudent and sensible resolve."

Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister in London, made light of the alarmist reports. He said: "I am still without information from my government as to the occupation by Russia of Newchwang. If the news is true I should certainly have been informed immediately of the fact. That Russia denies the occupation makes my belief of the report stronger than ever, but Russia would know better than to force matters to a climax."

"Neither does Japan wish to see that state of affairs brought about. The Anglo-Japanese alliance would come into operation in such an event, but I hope such a contingency will be far distant."

**Rubber.**

The first mention of rubber was made by Herrera in his account of the second voyage of Columbus, when he speaks of a ball used by the Indians made from the gum of a tree. It was lighter and bounced far better than the famous wind balls of Castile.

**Miss Ramsey's Body Brought Home.**

New York, May 13.—The body of Miss Anna Laura Ramsey, nineteen years of age, who died in Cairo, Egypt, on April 7, has arrived here on the steamer Hillman. Miss Ramsey was a daughter of President Ramsey of the Wabash railroad.

**A Boundary Commissioner Ill.**

Toronto, Ont., May 13.—Justice Armour, one of Canada's Alaska boundary commissioners, is ill and may not be able to act on the commission. He had intended leaving for England on May 22.

**Well Known Politician Dead.**

Oswego, N. Y., May 13.—John W. Mullen, a well known Democratic politician and prominent member of the Knights of Columbus, is dead, aged fifty-six.

**Clyde Engineers' Strike Settled.**

Glasgow, May 13.—At a meeting of the Clyde engineers here it was decided to resume work Monday. The strike, therefore, is over.

## EXTENSIVE FORGER.

Phillip L. Germond of New York Cashed Worthless Checks in 25 Cities.

New York, May 13.—Police Inspector McCluskey this morning announced the arrest at Wilkes-Barre, Pa., of Phillip L. Germond, 25 years old, son of Rev. Phillip Germond, pastor of the Chelsea Episcopal church of this city, charged with forging and uttering false checks. Germond is a student at Columbia Law school. The forgeries date back to September, 1900 and his worthless paper has been cashed in 25 cities from Denver to Boston.

## LEAGUE BASE BALL.

Mathewson of New York Nationals Made Strike Out Record.

Yesterday's National League scores: At Philadelphia, Pittsburgh 5, Philadelphia 5.  
At Brooklyn, Chicago 6, Brooklyn 5.  
At Boston, St. Louis 7, Boston 6.  
At New York, Cincinnati 4, New York 1.

**National League Standing.**

Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York 14	6	.700
Chicago 13	7	.652
Pittsburgh 12	8	.600
St. Louis 11	9	.550
Boston 10	10	.500
Philadelphia 9	11	.455
Cincinnati 8	12	.400
Brooklyn 7	13	.348

Yesterday's American League scores: At Chicago—Chicago 3, Philadelphia 2, (10 innings.)

At St. Louis—St. Louis 13, Washington 2.  
At Cleveland—Boston 10, Cleveland 5.  
At Detroit—Detroit 8, New York 4.

**American League Standing.**

Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago 12	6	.667
New York 9	9	.500
Philadelphia 8	10	.444
St. Louis 8	10	.444
Cleveland 6	9	.400
Boston 5	10	.333
Washington 4	11	.267

**College Scores.**

At Williamstown—Williams 10, Cornell 2.  
At Philadelphia—Brown University 4, University of Pennsylvania 0.  
At Burlington—Tufts 6, Vermont 3.

## VOTE FOR LICENSE IN NEW HAMPSHIRE

Majority in State Was Nearly 8000—All the Cities and 59 Towns Go for License.

Manchester, N. H., May 13.—The cities and towns of New Hampshire have voted on the question of license and the result is that all the cities of the state have taken their places in the license column. Of the towns a large majority are no license, returns received up to 5 o'clock this morning showing that of 190 heard from 59 are for license and 131 for no license.

The 11 cities of the state gave a majority of more than 11,000 for license. The totals were: Yes, 15,753; no, 7,254.

The state gave a majority of about 8,500 for license.

The towns which voted for license include some of the largest, as well as some of the smallest. The former include Milford, Claremont, Haverhill, Newport, Plymouth, Lebanon, Derry, Farmington, Pembroke, Tilton, Pittsfield, Whitefield, Hillsborough, Wolfeborough and Hinsdale. Among the smaller towns voting license are Dummer and Lincoln.

Among the larger towns voting no license are to be found Exeter, Littleton, Lisbon, Lancaster, Hanover, Goffstown, Weare, Andrus, Peterborough, Colebrook and Meredith.

## POST MILLS GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel M. Douglass Celebrate Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary.

Post Mills, May 12.—Mr. and Mrs. Montrose Douglass of this town, today, passed the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Douglass intended to celebrate the day by a family reunion at the Douglass homestead, but owing to the recent death of a son's wife they are spending the eventful day with their son, Dr. E. P. Douglass of Groton, Conn., and will visit New York and other places before their return.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglass were married May 12, 1853, in Peacham. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. A. Hitchcock, a Congregational minister of that place. They have nine children living.

## RACE POSTPONED.

Two Shamrocks Not Allowed to Race on Account of Squally Weather.

Goarook, May 13.—The race between the Shamrock I and Shamrock III for a prize of \$100, offered by Hon. Charles Russell, which was set for today, has been postponed owing to heavy, squally weather. Designer Fife does not wish to risk the spurs. Considerable disappointment was manifested when this decision was announced as a large crowd had gathered along the Clyde and on the shores of Lamash Bay to view the race.

## BIG BUFFALO FIRE.

Destroyed \$150,000 of Property and One Fireman Killed.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 13.—The Diamond Mills and elevator, corner of St. Abbott road and Elk street, were destroyed by fire this morning. The loss is \$150,000. Lieutenant William E. Clark of Engine 21 was struck by a length of hose, sustained a fracture of the skull and died later.

## EAST BROOKFIELD.

John White spent last Sunday at his home in Randolph.

Mrs. Mary Richardson left last Saturday for an indefinite stay in Woodstock.

Judge C. H. Bigelow was in Rutland a portion of last week on official business.

Mrs. Gertrude Farnsworth of Barre, was with her sister, Mrs. Chas. English last Saturday.

Chas. B. Angell was called to his home in Gayville last Saturday by the illness of his mother.

Mrs. Alma Clark went to Wolcott recently, where she has been employed as cook in a hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Sprague of Randolph were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. K. Sprague last Sunday.

Rev. Dr. Wm. Hazen of Northfield, preached here last Sunday in exchange with Rev. D. H. Strong.

Mrs. James Trask is seriously ill and her sister, Mrs. Amy Hubbard of Montpelier, is assisting in the care of her.

## ORANGE.

Mrs. Polly Jackson, who was born in this place, died yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. W. Jones in Manchester, N. H., aged 92 years and 7 months. The cause of death was old age. Mrs. Jackson was the last of seven children. She is survived by six children and an adopted daughter, Mrs. A. R. Thurston of West Topsham.

## NEW MOVE BY UNIONS

Get Injunction Against Business Men.

## SENSATION IN OMAHA

Court Orders Latter to Stop Holding Meetings or Conspiring Against Unions.

Omaha, Neb., May 12.—Judge Dickinson in the district court, tonight, on application of John O. Yeiser, an attorney representing the labor unions whose members are on strike, issued an injunction against the business men and proprietors even more sweeping than that issued by the federal courts against the unions last week. The order restrains the business men from refusing to sell goods to dealers who employ union labor, prevents them from boycotting union labor, requires the Business Men's association to cease holding meetings or conspiring against the unions or in any way interfering with the unions in the management of their affairs.

Some of the other provisions of the injunction restrain the business men from receiving or paying out any money whatever in pursuance of any agreement to break up labor unions, except attorneys in this action, from paying or offering any money to officers or members of unions directly or indirectly as a bribe; from importing any laborers into the city of Omaha on a plan to break up labor organizations and from bringing any other injunction suits or actions, in pursuance of any general plan of prosecution to break up labor unions, or of any new or similar plans connected directly or indirectly with any existing plans.

## FIVE BANKRUPTS.

Many Vermonters File Petitions in Burlington Court.

Burlington, May 13.—Five petitions in bankruptcy were filed yesterday in the office of George E. Johnson, clerk of the United States courts. They were as follows:

E. T. Bell, a laborer of St. Albans, who has liabilities of \$283 and assets of \$140, of which \$50 are claimed exempt.

Joseph Lavanture, a fireman of St. Albans, who has liabilities of \$477 and assets of \$550, all of which are claimed exempt.

A. J. Burdick, a painter of St. Johnsbury, who has liabilities of \$332.37 and assets of \$25, all of which are claimed exempt.

J. Wells Farnsworth, a farmer of Bellows Falls, who has liabilities of \$6,953.91 and assets of \$240.50, all of which are claimed exempt.

E. E. Hewitt, a laborer of Barre, who has liabilities of \$301.50 and assets of \$127, of which \$100 are claimed exempt.

## THE ARTHUR MONUMENT

Made of Pure Granite and Will Be Located at Fairfield.

Montpelier, May 12.—Ex-Gov. W. W. Stickney, who was in town today to attend the opening of Supreme Court is authority for the statement that the monument of Barre granite to be erected in Fairfield to the memory of Chester A. Arthur will be dedicated some time in July. The exact date to be later announced. This monument is at Montpelier ready to be shipped.

## More Arrests in Middlebury.

Middlebury, May 12.—Officer Willis arrested Mrs. Crossman for intoxication Monday and she was up before Justice A. W. Dickens and pleaded guilty and was fined \$10, to which she paid. He also arrested Frank Collins and he was fined \$30, to which he paid. Sheriff Rowley of New Haven arrested John Ladd of Monkton for intoxication and he pleaded guilty and was fined by Justice Dickens \$10, to which he paid. Sheriff T. M. Chapman arrested Marcelle Parish of Shelburne for being drunk and he pleaded guilty and was fined \$10, to which he paid.

## Programme For Concert

The concert programme given by the Goddard Male Quartette in the Congregational church parlors tonight at 8 o'clock is as follows:

"We Meet Again Tonight," Male Quartette.  
Violin Solo, "Banderero," Mr. Tarbox.  
Vocal Solo, "Nellie Was a Lady," Mr. Cadger.  
"The Dixie Kid," Male Quartette.  
Reading—"The Debating Society," Mr. Carver.

Vocal Solo, "The Song of the Lark," Mr. Davis.  
Piano Solo, "Nellie Was a Lady," Mr. Grant.  
(a) "Nellie Was a Lady," Mr. Grant.  
(b) "Under the Bamboo Tree," Male Quartette.

Reading—"Farmer Stebbins at the Bar," Mr. Carver.

Vocal Solo, "La Sonnambula," Mr. Cadger.

Violin Solo, "La Sonnambula," Mr. Tarbox.

Vocal Duet—"Come Silver Moon," Messrs. Cadger and Davis.

"Come Raise the Song G. S.," Male Quartette.

Important Notice. We are sole agents for Byron Jackson's home grown asparagus. Best in the city. City Fish Market.

Gingham's!—See the assortment we have. Notice the qualities at 12½¢ per yard. Veale & Knight.

## BULLET IN HIS HEAD

Edward Shattuck of Burlington Killed Himself.

## WAS IN POOR HEALTH

Kept a Restaurant On Bank Street and Appeared at Supper as Usual.

Burlington, May 13.—Edward H. Shattuck, proprietor of the Hotel Shattuck, at 185 Bank street, committed suicide last evening by shooting himself through the head. Mr. Shattuck ate supper at the usual time and the family noticed nothing unusual in his actions. About 7 o'clock he left the restaurant and it is supposed went at once to his room and shot himself. An hour later Mrs. Shattuck went to the room, which was dark, and in crossing it came upon his dead body. Health Officer Clark was summoned and found that Mr. Shattuck had shot himself with a revolver, which he held in his right hand. He had placed the weapon in his mouth and pointed it upwards.

Death was undoubtedly instantaneous. Two chambers of the revolver were empty but there were no indications that he had used the weapon more than once. The shot was not heard by any one in the building. Mr. Shattuck had not been in good health for some time and the cause of the suicide must be a matter of conjecture as he left no note or other word of explanation. The body was taken to the undertaking rooms of J. Warren Roberts and there prepared for burial. No arrangements for the funeral have yet been made.

## SUMMERSKILL SHOT IN HUNT FOR BURGLAR

St. Albans Man Attacks Neighbor Who Had Come to Rescue, and is Fired at by Latter.

St. Albans, May 12.—As the outcome of a burglar hunt at the residence of T. A. Summerskill, superintendent of motive power of the Central Vermont railway, early today Mr. Summerskill was shot and seriously wounded.

Early in the morning the residence of the superintendent was visited by a burglar. The noise caused by his entry aroused Mr. Summerskill, and the latter proceeded to investigate. He found a man in the house, but was unable to capture him, the robber making his escape.

Mr. Summerskill, seeing that the man was likely to get away, and not knowing how many companions might be near, called lustily for assistance. His cries were heard by Col. A. A. Hall, one of the leading attorneys in Vermont, whose residence is situated near that of Mr. Summerskill. Col. Hall called his son, Harry, and the latter prepared to go to Mr. Summerskill's assistance.

Young Hall armed himself with a revolver and proceeded to the superintendent's house. In the darkness Hall mistook Mr. Summerskill for the burglar, and the superintendent, supposing that the young man was the robber, attacked him with a club. Young Hall was bruised, and finding himself in danger of his life drew his revolver from his pocket and fired. The bullet, which was from a heavy army revolver, inflicted a serious wound, although it is thought Mr. Summerskill's chances of recovery are fair.

When the railroad man cried out after being shot, he saw that an unfortunate mistake had been made, but by the time other neighbors had been called the burglar was nowhere to be found.

Sheriff Kelley was soon on the ground and took personal charge of the hunt for the house-breaker, who had caused all the trouble, and all towns for miles around were advised to look out for the suspect. It was learned that a well dressed man, wearing a pair of ladies rubbers had boarded an early morning street car, ridden to the bay and back again. He got off the car at the Holy Angels church on Lake street and walked up town to Deschenes shoe store, where he entered and bought a pair of cheap shoes, No. 7's. He explained to Deschenes that he had lost his shoes in the lake. When this was learned the hunt for the man doubled and he was found and arrested in the depot at about 9:30 o'clock and taken up to the jail.

The prisoner told several contradictory stories when arrested, but all circumstances point to his being the man wanted for breaking in. He gave his name as Albert Rodier of Montreal and said he was on his way to Burlington and didn't know what he was arrested for.

## GOING TO ANNAPOLIS.

Rollie Palmer of Charlotte Successfully Passed Examinations.

Northfield, May 12.—Rollie Palmer of Charlotte, a senior in the Northfield High school, has received the appointment to Annapolis Naval academy, from Representative D. J. Foster of the first congressional district. Mr. Palmer has successfully passed the required examination and accepted the appointment. He is making arrangements to leave at once for Annapolis.

Glasses fitted by an eye sight specialist at J. W. Holton's.

Fine stock of infant's bonnets, caps and reefers at Fitts.

## FACTS BROUGHT OUT AT FIRE INQUEST

Twenty Witnesses Examined at Hearing On Cause of Tilden House Fire.

The fire inquest over the Tilden house fire was continued before Grand Juror Scott in City Attorney Gordon's office this morning and four witnesses were heard. They were Michael Butler, whom a previous witness had declared he had seen in the house five weeks ago, William Martin who lives on the opposite side of the street, Fireman Ben Gilley and Thomas Brown who had put the sewing machines in the ell part of the house Saturday afternoon.

Butler denied that he had been in the house since the Ryans moved out. Martin told of seeing two men run away from the place about the time the alarm rang. Gilley testified that all the doors of the house were locked when he got to the fire. Brown said he didn't know whether he shut the shed door or not when he finished putting in the sewing machines.

The officers of the inquest then went to the scene of the fire and inspected the premises.

The testimony was concluded yesterday afternoon at half past four o'clock; after the fifteenth witness for the day had been put on. The witnesses included firemen, police officers, the keepers of the property and J. A. Lucas, who rented the barn. Attorney Frank J. Martin appeared for Mrs. Tilden, the owner of the property.

Fireman Adolph Gones, W. S. Abbot, Creamer Allen and Frank U. Morgan told of the condition of the house when they arrived at the scene of the fire. The firemen all testified that the doors of the house were all securely locked when they reached the fire. On this point there is a good deal of misunderstanding, as some of the other witnesses had said that the doors of the house had been unlocked for several weeks. The firemen testified that they had to use force to get in.

It was brought out that the last tenants, the Ryans, had been notified to vacate the building by the keepers, the Perry Real Estate Agency, and that the barn was rented by J. A. Lucas of Montpelier who had 13 sewing machines stored in the rear part of the house. It also developed that Mr. Lucas had no authority for putting the machines in the house. When Mr. Lucas was placed on the stand he told about his movements that night. He had put his team in the barn at 8 or 9 o'clock, that he had taken a lunch at a lunch cart at 1 o'clock in the morning and that he had taken a room in the City Hotel shortly afterwards.

Wilson Marshall who had kept his horse in the barn said the doors of the house had been unlocked and that he had heard the building was a "common runway." Five weeks ago he had seen five men inside the house drinking from a bottle. He declared he had also seen small boys in the building and that he had driven them out. He had gone to get water to water his horse.

## RURAL DELIVERY ROUTE NUMBER ONE

Special Agent Clark Campbell Inspects Same, and Will Recommend Its Establishment.

Clark Campbell, special agent and examiner for the rural free delivery service was in Barre yesterday and went over the territory on the East Hill for which a rural delivery route has been petitioned for. Mr. Campbell, after examination, laid out a route going up Trow Hill around by Maynard Winch's and up over the hill to Orange, to Lord's Mills and back by another road to the Cobble Hill creamery. This route he will recommend to the department at Washington and it is expected the rural delivery will go into operation about July 1.

In the evening Mr. Campbell held an examination of candidates for carrier over this route. There were five who took the examination, A. N. George, O. W. Hutchinson, Walter I. Wood, A. C. McKinney, E. E. Owen.

## BASE BALL IN VERMONT.

Preliminary Steps in Northern League Made Yesterday.

St. Albans, May 12.—A meeting of representatives from Burlington, Plattsburgh and St. Albans base ball people was held at the Owl club yesterday for the purpose of the formation of a four team league which will include Rutland. The following matters were agreed upon: To adopt the Spaulding base ball, that each team pay all of its own expenses and take all the gate receipts while at home, and that the league agreement and the schedule be drawn up at once by President Childs and submitted to each team for its approval.

The committee voted to adopt last year's schedule for the season, the games beginning on June 29 and finishing September 2. It is understood that each team will post a guarantee of \$100 that the schedule as arranged will be carried out, and a forfeit of \$50 to be placed on any team leaving the field before the umpire decides the game finished. Matters look very favorable now for a successful base ball season. The name for the league has not been adopted, but it probably will be "The Northern League."

## WATER SUPPLY GOOD.

Analysis of Northfield Water Shows It to Be of Good Quality.

Northfield, May 12.—Health Officer S. H. Kent has just received a report from the Kent laboratory on sample of water from the railroad system, the Emerson-Andrews system and the Northfield Aqueduct system. In each case the report is: "Biologically and chemically is a good quality." Therefore Northfield's public water supply would seem to be in a good condition.

Try our perfumes. They are new. Veale & Knight.

Ask your grocer for Wise King Flour.

## CURRIERS TO REBUILD

Will Erect Two Story Block.

## ON SITE OF OLD ONE

To be Solid Brick Walls--Work On Same Will Begin at Once.

C. L. and R. S. Currier are to rebuild on the site of their burned block, a two story business block. The new building will have solid brick wall 14 inches through at the bottom. The first floor will contain stores, as formerly, and the second floor will be given up to offices. The building will be so constructed as to allow the building of a third story later, if it is so desired.

C. L. Bugbee will be the builder and work on the construction of the same will begin as soon as the debris can be removed.

Mr. Shepley of Shepley & Jones, owners of the lot next to that of the Messrs. Currier, stated this morning that they did not yet know just what they would do. Mr. Jones is expected in Barre tomorrow.

## SCHOOL HOUSE LOT FINALLY LOCATED

School Commissioners Decide to Erect 12-Room Building Corner of Elm and Thorndyke Streets.

At the meeting of the school commissioners last evening it was definitely decided to locate the new school house on the corner of Elm and Thorndyke streets, as option had been secured on the property which is considered to be as central as any land that can be found. The purchase price is \$5,050, including two lots of A. S. Martin's, one of Mrs. H. O. Worthen's, one of Mrs. Ella Reed's and part of the H. K. Bush lot.

The options on these properties will be placed in the hands of a third party and if consent is given to change the location of Thorndyke street the erection of the building will be started at once. A hearing will be held soon on the proposed change. It is proposed to move the street to the east so that it will run along the line of C. A. Smith's property. If the street is moved it will leave a fine building lot for a school house, large enough for the twelve-room building which the commissioners contemplate erecting.

The school house will be of brick with solid walls and will accommodate 600 scholars. There will be two entrances, one facing Thorndyke street and the other on Elm street.

## MORRISON-CLOSE.

Former Barre Young Lady Married in Manchester, N. H., Monday.

Miss Merle Morrison, formerly of this place, was married to George Cloag of Cambridge, Mass., at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. S. Martin in Manchester, N. H., Monday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock. The marriage was performed by the Rev. Curtis Hoyt Dickens, chaplain in the United States navy. Owing to the recent death of Mrs. J. G. Morrison, a sister-in-law, only the immediate families were present.

The bride will be remembered by a large number of people in this city who will unite in wishing her the happiest congratulations. She was formerly a student at Goddard Seminary, having been graduated from that institution three years ago. She was very popular among the students of the school and also with a large circle of friends in the city. After leaving school Miss Morrison went to Cambridge, Mass., to reside at the home of her brother, J. G. Morrison.

## NEW TRIAL GRANTED.

J. P. Donovan Forgery Case Judgment Case Set Aside.

Montpelier, May 12.—Among the decisions announced by Supreme court today that of state vs. J. P. Donovan, forgery, is of particular importance. The judgment is set aside and a new trial is granted. The new trial is given because of the refusal of the court to allow the defense to show the value of the claspboards and the value of the organ. This case was over the alleged change in the wording on the back of the note as to the size of claspboards. The note was for \$100 by Alonzo A. Parsons and the agreement was written on the reverse side that payment in 20,000 claspboards would be accepted. It was alleged the note originally stood "four and one-half" and was changed to "five and one-half" as the size of the claspboards.

## RESPONDENT DISCHARGED.

Supreme Court Sustains Demurrer of Fred Cunningham in Barre Case.

Montpelier, May 12.—In the case of State vs. Fred Cunningham, selling goods at auction without a license, from Barre city court, an opinion was handed down this afternoon by Judge Hazleton. The judgment and sentence of Barre city court is reversed, the demurrer is sustained, the information quashed and the respondent discharged.